

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Inventor(s):	Ulrich Stauss	Group Art Unit:	3679
Assignee:	N/A	Examiner:	Ernesto Garcia
Title:	DEVICE COMPRISING TWO HOLLOW PROFILES THAT ARE HELD TOGETHER BY MEANS OF A CONNECTING SCREW, AND CORRESPONDING TOOL		

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Advisory Action mailed February 4, 2009, having a shortened statutory period for response of four (4) months from the mailing date of the Final Office action that expired on December 19, 2008, which is extended for a period of two (2) months under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and set to expire on February 19, 2009, please amend the application and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.